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End of a Long War.

The current issue of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers' Journal says: "It will be gratifying to our membership to know that after a somewhat prolonged interview between W. S. Stone, grand chief engineer, and F. A. Delano, general manager, relative to the situation on the Burlington as men joining the brotherhood, that the following ground was reached: "That from this time on there shall be no discrimination in any form against men who join the brotherhood, but they shall be left entirely free to join or not as they may elect. While on our part, we are not to seek by force to compel engineers to become members, or to uphold those who do become members in vicious or careless work, or in becoming agitators or in deviating in any manner from the work that ought to be done by faithful and consistent employees of the company, and every one who joins must stand or fall strictly upon his own merits as a man, as members of the order must elsewhere. As part of the agreement, the Burlington relief association is not to be antagonized. "This is a fair and business-like proposition, and one that if faithfully lived up to will effectually end the long struggle on the Burlington, and we certainly owe it to ourselves to see that our part of the agreement is strictly adhered to."

McCormick Marriage.

Mr. Ralph E. McCormick of our city and Miss Helen McCormick of Red Cloud were united in marriage in Red Cloud at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. McCormick, last Sunday afternoon. The Red Cloud Commercial Advertiser gives the appended account of the felicitous affair in its issue of Monday: "McCormick and McCormick. On Sunday afternoon, at 6 o'clock there took place the wedding of Miss Helen McCormick, one Red Cloud's charming and estimable young lady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. McCormick, to Ralph E. McCormick, a leading telegrapher of the B. & M. in the dispatcher's office in McCook, and the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McCormick of this city. Rev. William Hauptmann, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. The wedding was a very private one, only the parents of the high contracting parties being present, and a very few close friends of the bride and groom. A wedding supper was partaken of at 8:35 they left for McCook, their future home. The Commercial Advertiser, along with their many friends in this city, takes pleasure in wishing them bon voyage in their matrimonial cruise over life's troublesome seas, and may their joys be many and their woes few, in our best wish."

They came to McCook and at once went to keeping house in the Stokes residence, which had previously been prepared for their coming.

The Bender-Wilson Incident.

No little interest has naturally been aroused in this community apropos of the Bender-Wilson incident in the recent Kansas-Nebraska universities football game, in which Bender won out for Nebraska by a score of 6 to 0. If the Kansas university people state the rule fairly—and they probably do—neither Bender nor Wilson were technically eligible to play in the game. We say technically. University athletics, if any athletics on earth, should be on the "dead square." Technically, our Captain Johnny Bender and his big right-hand bower Wilson, two of the fine boys as ever played with the McCook baseball team, and all-around clever fellows, are tainted with professionalism, according to the university rule quoted by the Kansas university athletic board.

It's All Over Now.

That is the election is over for this year—but the matter of good, wholesome, juicy meats is still of first and vital importance to all. It will interest you to know that Marsh has been elected by an overwhelming majority to continue selling the best meats to the people all the time. Same old location; same prompt service and courteous treatment.

The County Teachers' Association.

We regret the matter, but no opportunity was given THE TRIBUNE to give publicity to the meeting to be held in Danbury. We learn from the Danbury paper, however, that the meeting arranged for last Saturday, the 14th, "on account of a mistake in the program, has been postponed until tomorrow, the 21st instant."

Will Observe Thanksgiving Day.

The McCook postoffice will be closed on Thanksgiving day. The general delivery window will be up from 8 to 9 o'clock in the morning, and from 1:30 to 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The money-order and registry departments will be closed all day.

Guaranteed Not to Tarnish.

Argentine ware—nickel and silver—is absolutely guaranteed to not tarnish. W. T. Coleman has a large and fine assortment—teasets, soup tureens, bon-bon dishes, trays, nut bowls etc.

That Thanksgiving Turkey

will not be "just right" unless cooked in one of those self-basting roasters at W. T. Coleman's.

We are busy in zibelines—striped zibelines, invisible checked zibelines, plain zibelines. The right things at the right prices. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

McMillen's Cream Lotion for hands and face dries perfectly and leaves the skin smooth and soft.—11-6-ft.

Do you need a lamp, chimney, wick or burner extras for bracket lamps? We have them at the Bee Hive.

Men's fine black kersey overcoats \$7.50 and \$10 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Boy's blanket-lined school coats for 85c to \$1.35 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

No. 13 for aches and pains at McConnell's drug store.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Mrs. C. M. KENT was an Omaha visitor, close of last week. C. A. READY was a city visitor, Monday, from Hayes Center. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. SCHOBEL were Minden visitors, Sunday. C. F. BARCOCK went up to Omaha on business, Tuesday night. H. W. CAMPBELL, the soil-culture man, was up from Holdrege, Tuesday. C. H. MEEKER returned home, Tuesday night, from his western business trip. Mrs. H. A. ROUGH and Mrs. H. C. BROWN were Omaha visitors, last of this week. Mrs. A. BACKSTROM returned, first of the week, from her visit to Lincoln relatives. Mrs. O. S. BARDSHAW of Smithfield has been a guest of Mrs. William Zint, this week. Mrs. T. J. BALES returned home, last of past week, from visiting a daughter in Alliance. Miss E. M. NETTLETON Colorado City is a guest at the Fitch home, over on the South Side. Mrs. FRANK FREELove returned home, last Friday night, from her visit in Redfield, Kansas. C. H. MORRILL of the Lincoln Land Co. is in the city, today, on business of that company. Mrs. HUGH HINES arrived home, Wednesday on 1, from her Hastings visit to relatives. Mrs. A. L. KNOWLAND went to Bicknell, Indiana, close of last week, on a visit to relatives. Mrs. C. A. FISHER of Wauneta, Chase county, has been the guest of Mrs. H. M. Finity, this week. Miss LORA LEHEW, a deaconess in the Episcopal church, is here from Michigan visiting the homefolks. Mrs. E. W. CONK of Holdrege came in on No. 1, yesterday, for a visit with her sons Charles and Lon. J. D. MINES, the deputy internal revenue man, was up from Hastings on business of the service, Thursday. D. C. BENEDICT of Culbertson was in the city, Tuesday, on his way to Chicago on a visit of 3 weeks' duration. He left on No. 6. ELLSWORTH HILLTOP and Edward Wyant of the Cedar Bluffs neighborhood had business in the county's chief city, Friday last. E. G. ROBINSON of Lincoln and E. M. Seare, Jr., of Ogallala are in the city engaged in checking up the county treasurer's office. Mrs. JOHN SHEPHERD and Miss Della went down to Beatrice, last Friday night, and are visiting relatives there for a week or two. DR. AND MRS. PETER BOYLE, who have been making an extended visit to their children in Nebraska, left for their Denver home, Tuesday. MR. AND MRS. T. F. GOCKLEY of the Danbury country were visitors in the big red standpipe city, Saturday, the first time in many months. Mrs. L. W. STAYNER, Mrs. J. W. Line and Mrs. George Martin went in to Omaha, Tuesday night on No. 6, to be absent a few days in the metropolis. DR. H. M. IRELAND, a physician of the Osteopathic school, has located in the city, opening an office in the Kelley building, first door north of the Commercial hotel. See his professional card in this issue. STATE SUP'T W. K. FOWLER will be out from Lincoln, next Friday, to confer with the retiring as well as the newly elected county superintendents relative to the Junior Normal school to be held here next summer. ED JEFFERS has purchased the building formerly occupied by G. D. Burgess over on Manchester street as an implement office, and has moved the same out to East McCook, where he recently bought a block of land from the Lincoln Land Co. The building will be remodeled and added to for a dwelling-house. MR. AND J. B. MESERVE received word, Monday evening, of the birth of a 9-pound son to their daughter Mrs. Edwin E. Magee, and they left for Fairmont, Nebraska, on the first passenger train, same evening, to see the new grandson. Reports from mother and son are very favorable, but the superintendent of schools continues to step abnormally high. MR. AND MRS. W. S. PERRY received word, Saturday, of the birth of a 10-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Thayer of Montgomery, Ohio. Mrs. Thayer will be recognized as their daughter Mrs. J. M. Stranahan. The happy event occurred on Thursday of last week, the 12th instant, and all interested, even Grandpa and Grandma Perry, are "doing nicely."

NOVEMBER COUGHS.

Don't let any lung or bronchial trouble fasten itself upon you with several cold months ahead to aggravate these affections.

There's SECURITY IN McCONELL'S BALSAM. This is a remedy that should be kept on hand through the cold months. Equally good for children or adults. It heals and strengthens the lungs, cures the cough and helps keep away the next cough.

Price, 25c. McCONELL, Druggist.

The claims allowed by the county commissioners at their last regular session amounted to about \$5,000. Of this total approximately \$1,500 is chargeable to the McMillen-Jones murder case.

Bed comforts of our own make, 6x7 ft., 12 yards cloth, 6 batts inside, \$1.65. Orders to \$2.50. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Underwear, wool hose, wristlets, ear tabs and all kinds of golf gloves at the Bee Hive.

Mints can do a profitable and prosperous business without advertising.

ART VASES, FINE CHINA, bric a brac, at McConnell's.

Oil and Gas in the Great Plains.

Is the central great plains region underlain with oil and gas? There are geologic indications that conditions within an area 250 miles in length, varying in width from 2 to 6 miles, and comprising within the three states, Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota, are similar to those in which oil and gas have been found. In investigating the geologic structure of the central plains region Mr. N. H. Darton of the United States Geological Survey has discovered an uplift, or arch, in the earth's crust which may prove of greatest economic importance. Owing to thick covering of clays and sands in the plains the structure of the underlying rocks is difficult to ascertain, but from a careful survey of exposures in western Kansas, the Republican valley in Nebraska and the southwestern corner of South Dakota, and the consideration of much new evidence there by well borings in the last few years, Mr. Darton has demonstrated the existence of a narrow arch, or saddle back, of considerable magnitude, extending from the vicinity of Lenora, Kansas, through Norton county, across Furnas, Frontier, Lincoln and other counties in Nebraska, and the White river, where this river crosses the Nebraska and South Dakota line. The uplift is probably due to the slight shrinkage of the earth's crust and the extensive series of cretaceous and underlying rocks here involved. The investigations of the bureau in the great Appalachian oil field, covering the operations of many years, have placed the antithetical theory of the accumulations of oil and gas on a substantial basis. While such accumulations have been found in synclines, notably like that at Florence, Colorado, the practical developments in areas of anticlines or uplifts have resulted in vast extension of known fields, and the application of the theory has been followed by numerous discoveries of other productive territory. Should future developments in the central great plains area prove the soundness of the antithetical theory, it would result in incalculable benefit to that region. The country in which the anticline puts out is today thinly populated and for the most part, given over to stock raising. It lies just west of the 100th meridian, and is probably classed as belonging to the arid region. With the discovery of oil and gas, a great impetus would be given to agricultural development, as the soil is fertile, of great depth, and as productive as that of any section of the country, when irrigated. The surface waters are inadequate and uncertain, and for this reason, this section has not developed with the same rapidity as others more favored with perennial streams. A great part of the great plains region is known to be underlain with water bearing gravels at no great depth from the surface, which, when tapped by wells, furnish an inexhaustible water supply. By utilizing the cheap fuel which would be provided in the event of discovering oil and gas, vast areas of this region could be irrigated from waters obtained by pumping plants. Mr. Darton's discovery will undoubtedly attract the attention of those who are seeking oil and gas in parts of the United States. A report now in preparation on the geology of the great plains, by Mr. Darton, which is to be issued from the geological survey in the course of a few months, will be of great interest and value to those who are desirous of more knowledge concerning the geological structure and resources of that region.

Cows Choked to Death.

James Ferrier and others about Culbertson have had a number of cows choke to death while eating sugar-beets. If they had had one of W. T. Coleman's sugar-beet cutters, it wouldn't have happened. A word to the wise is sufficient.

McCook Laundry Prize Contest.

One Hendricks..... 777
Nellie Smith..... 734
Mamie Frank..... 731
Joe Mullen..... 130
S. Brady..... 68
Nando Best..... 47
Maggie Straff.....
For particulars phone 35.

For Your Thanksgiving Dinner.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have for sale at Grannis' store, Wednesday, November 25, 1903, articles suitable for Thanksgiving dinner—mince and pumpkin pies, fruit, cake, cranberry sauce, doughnuts, etc.

McConnell's Fragrant Lotion

will cure chapped hands or face over night. Price 25 cents.

Single Comb White Leghorn Cockerels for sale. D. C. BENEDICT, Culbertson.

The meeting of the Southwestern Nebraska Teachers' Association, which is presumed would have been held here November 27 and 28, has been postponed because of the removal of the president, Miss Alison G. Johnston, formerly of Cambridge, from the district. It is presumed that there will be a meeting somewhere in the spring, but no definite announcement can be made at this time.

Bargains in down pillows for sale by the ladies of the Dorcas society. See Mrs. J. E. Kelley or Mrs. F. M. Kimmel. Also have some dusting caps and clothes-pin bags for sale.

Dress skirts and walking skirts to your measure. Fifty kept made up ready to wear, \$2.00 to \$3.00. To your measure at same prices. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

When the improvements to J. E. Kelley's offices shall have been completed he will the finest suite of offices in this part of the state.

Boys' lined all-leather mittens with yarn wrist only 10c a pair at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's. One price, plain figures, cash only.

The plumbers have been kept busy, this week. The first cold spell always catches many unprepared.

Siegel's \$10.75 magazine advertised jackets for sale only by the Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Underwear, wool hose, wristlets, ear tabs and all kinds of golf gloves at the Bee Hive.

Mints can do a profitable and prosperous business without advertising.

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RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

J. Matz is a new fireman—transferred from Denver.

Brakeman C. O. Doing has resigned from the service.

Kelso is a new helper in the round-house, this week.

G. E. Chamberlain is firing the switch-engine now.

Otto Fisher of the round house gang, resigned, yesterday.

Engineer H. E. Culbertson is among the ailing, this week.

Fireman J. R. Pence was on the sick list, first of the week.

Brakeman L. M. Best is on the sick list with an injured eye.

Fireman Perkins has been transferred to McCook from Denver.

E. E. Bateman of the round-house force resigned, this week.

J. E. LeBlanc made his first trip, Saturday on 64, as a brakeman.

Fireman M. R. Griggs returned, Sunday, from his trip to Oberlin.

Fireman George Mickelson was down from Denver over Sunday on a visit.

Roadmaster Sam Rogers left, Wednesday, for New Mexico on a mining deal.

Conductor J. F. Utter has the 126 during Conductor Kiser's short vacation.

The First Day Adventists are arranging for services in our city for a week or two.

Will Weintz made his first trip on the road, Monday on 6, since his recent illness.

Engineer Waugh and Fireman Brown are working out of Holdrege for a few days.

Switchman M. G. Stephenson is off duty again, this time with a sprained ankle.

Engineer E. A. Mellin made his first trip as an engineer, Sunday morning, on No. 64.

Ed Branch of the auditing department was at headquarters, Thursday, on business of that office.

J. M. Oldham and O. W. C. Sampson are new employees in the train service—brakemen—this week.

Fireman Dickenson and Purinton and Engineers Bayles and Neilson were on the sick list, this week.

Fireman J. R. Sullivan succeeds to Mellin's run on the big passenger engine with Engineer Pronger.

Conductor and Mrs. H. C. Kiser went in to Omaha, first of the week, to enjoy a short vacation and visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stoner went down to Weeping Water, Wednesday evening, on a visit of a few days at home.

Brakeman F. F. Neubauer, who has been ill and off duty for the past six months, returned to work, this week.

Brakeman M. R. Sheldon felt the weight of a sample trunk, and is resting up a few days until his foot quits hurting.

Machinist Ben Howard resigned, last Saturday, and W. F. Tilson, machinist, entered the service, Tuesday, in the round-house.

Fireman H. H. Jackson, Fireman W. R. Hertz, Fireman W. H. Decker and Fireman Ivan Dickenson have resigned from the engine service. Dickenson has gone to Red Cloud.

Brakeman E. O. Scott has been transferred from the main line to the Red Cloud-Orleans branch, and will make his headquarters in Red Cloud. He succeeds L. E. Hill, resigned.

M. M. Hammond and L. E. Confer have been transferred from the paint-gang to the round-house force, this week, Hammond helping hostile and Confer going to the east-end switch engine.

The Rock Island railroad now owns and operates its own private telegraph wires as far east as New York City, being the first western road to discontinue the Western Union service east of Chicago.

The Burlington company is scrapping its 20-foot freight-cars on the theory that they are too small to be profitably hauled over the road. They are selling them for \$20 apiece, and a number have been purchased by individuals in the city.

The Rock Island has abandoned the use of the 2,000-mile credential book and accepted the 2,000-mile book good on trains. This makes the use of mileage books uniform in all territory west of Chicago and ends all complications.

L. S. Sage, who it will be remembered recently succeeded J. Kridelbaugh as agent at Alliance on account of the promotion of the latter to the Omaha freight office, will go to Beatrice some time this week for the purpose of moving his family and belongings to Alliance.—Alliance Times.

One of the number of iron bridges being placed by the Burlington is to span Indian creek near Wymore. This will be one of the regulation spans, set on concrete piers. Orders have been received at the Lincoln shops from the bridge department for the pier boxes in which the supports for the steel structure will be formed.

James F. Whiteford, formerly a machinist in the Burlington shops here, but now in the Union Pacific service at Omaha, has reached the position of chief inspector, and at present is assigned for duty in Philadelphia, inspecting the work of construction of a number of locomotives for the company by the great Baldwin works.

President Harris, Chairman Perkins of the board of directors, General Manager

Toilet Goods. The items of toilet goods you fail to find elsewhere are here.

We take special pride in our toilet goods department carrying an assortment rarely equalled. You will save time and promote your interest by coming to us for your needs in this line.

McCONELL, Druggist.

ager Holdrege, General Attorney Manderson and other high officials of the Burlington system spent a few hours in the city, last Friday afternoon, while over the road in their special train on a trip of inspection. From here Mr. Perkins went down to his hunting preserve near Herndon, Kansas, to enjoy a short hunt.

A Burlington man who visits Denver occasionally says that the miners strike has had a disastrous effect on business in Colorado. He says the feeling out there is that something must be done to prevent violence following every strike. The miners have caused much unfavorable sentiment to be formed against all unions by resorting to violence, he says. The effect has been to lessen the business carried by railroads and to annihilate the prosperity that during the summer months hovered over Colorado.—Lincoln Journal.

Thanksgiving Services.

Union services will be held, Thanksgiving day, Thursday, Nov. 26, at 11 o'clock, in the M. E. church. The following will be the order of services: Organ voluntary. Gloria Patria. Singing. Prayer. Solo. Scripture reading. Singing. Reading of Thanksgiving proclamation. Anthem. Sermon by Rev. C. R. Betts. Singing. Benediction. God has blessed us with a bountiful crop, success in all lines of business, health, reason and life. The president of our nation and the governor of our state have called upon us to gather in our houses of worship to thank God, the giver of all, for His great goodness and mercy—and it is very fitting, indeed, that we should. So let us all join in thanksgiving and praise on this day.

"Come, ye thankful people, come:
Raise the song of harvest home.
All in safety gathered in,
Ere the winter storms begin,
God our maker, doth provide
For our wants to be supplied.
Come to God's own temple, come:
Raise the song of harvest home."

Resolutions.

Hall of Noble Camp No. 663 of McCook, Neb., Modern Woodmen of America.

Whereas, in the providence of God, our beloved brother Charles L. DeGroff, has been removed from our midst to his eternal home, therefore be it:

Resolved, by Noble Camp No. 663, M. W. of A., that in the death of our esteemed neighbor C. L. DeGroff, our camp deplores the loss of one of its most honored members. That this camp extend to his family our sincerest sympathy in their great affliction, and we commend them for consolation to the Father who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days, and that these resolutions be spread upon the records of this camp, a copy sent to the bereaved family, and a copy to our local papers.

T. F. ROWELL,
J. H. BENNETT,
I. M. SMITH.

County Treasurer Preparing Notices. Circular letters are being prepared in the county treasurer's office and each tax payer in the county will during December be notified of his delinquency. Under the new revenue law personal taxes for 1903 and all previous years will become delinquent on the first day of February, and the county treasurer is compelled to issue distress warrants for all personal taxes not paid by that date. Real estate taxes will become delinquent May 1st, as under the old law. Prepare to pay your personal taxes before February 1st.

Horse Strayed or Stolen from the Menard place, 4 miles southwest of McCook; sorrel color, star in forehead, branded on left foreleg; coming three years old. Suitable reward for information or return of animal.

JOHN MOORE.

The First Cold Snap of Winter. This section of the state, in common with much of the country, has experienced its first cold snap of the winter, this week. The thermometer reached the neighborhood of zero, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings.

"They Do Say" that Coleman has the largest and finest assortment of carving-sets ever brought to McCook, and Thanksgiving is about to knock at the door. They are warranted—no matter how high the turkey's roost.

Bloodhounds and Scotch Terriers. Registered pedigreed young Bloodhounds and thoroughbred Scotch Terriers for sale. See R. McDonald on the Morlan farm.

The Danbury Telephone club has proposed to extend a line down opposite Redwillow if the Indianola club will get a line out that far and from the Willow line will be extended to McCook. This will connect all the towns in the county by an independent line.—Indianola Reporter.

The Baptist brethren have installed a new and larger and more efficient heater in their church, this week. They expect the same to be in readiness for service, Sunday, and to remove a source of some annoyance and discomfort in past years.

The display of books, pictures and fancy lamps being shown by Cone Bros., is attracting much attention.

See the publisher about your holiday advertising. It will pay you to be "soon." Choicer positions, etc.

Men's absolutely all-wool undershirts and drawers \$1 each at the Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Beautiful line of Ideal wool and silk waists now showing at the Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

The Fortnightly people held a dance, last Friday night.

No. 13 for aches and pains at McConnell's drug store.

Only 5 Cents Extra.

For THE TRIBUNE and The Weekly Inter Ocean of Chicago, the leading paper of the West. Improved and strengthened by the addition of many new features: Enlarged farm department—forestry and floriculture—care of the horse—Home Health Club—Mme. Michaud's health and beauty hints—new household ideas—practical cookery—latest styles for all ages—best fiction—full crop and market reports. The Inter Ocean is the only western paper receiving, in addition to the Associated Press reports, the entire telegraphic news service of the New York Sun and special cable of the New York World, besides daily reports from over 2,000 special correspondents. All this for only 5c extra. McCook TRIBUNE \$1. Weekly Inter Ocean \$1; both for 1 year for \$1.05. This offer open only a few weeks. And is open to all subscribers who will pay their subscription 1 year in advance, as well as to new subscribers to THE McCook TRIBUNE.

MINOR ITEMS OF NEWS.

Kodaks and supplies at Cone Bros.

Everything in drugs. McCONELL.

Glass, paints, oils and wall paper at McMillen's.

McMillen's cough cure is fully guaranteed. Try it.

Sale bills promptly and artistically done at this office.

Chafing dishes, baking dishes, trays etc. at W. T. Coleman's.

Mittens, sweaters, caps, leggins and overboots at the Bee Hive.

FOR SALE—15 brood sows, soon to farrow. P. WALSH.

Scale books. Typewriter papers. THE TRIBUNE.

Skates, straps, sharpeners, files and all the things for skating at the Bee Hive.

Headquarters for fleece-lined wrappers and dress saques. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Handsome variety and large stock of silverware, hollow and flat, at W. T. Coleman's.

Union suits for men, boys, women and children from 25c to \$2.50 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Large line of children's, boys' and men's sweaters from 50c to \$3 at the Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

No need to send to the city for them—Coleman has them: Potato scoops, tinble irons, salad moulds etc.

One of the greatest sports on earth, for young and old, "Kodakery." Ask for catalogue at Cone Bros.

For the finest stationery, choicest perfumes and best toilet articles of all kinds you should go to Cone Bros.

Nicely furnished room with piano. Two gentlemen desired. Two blocks from postoffice. W. A. RICHARDSON.

Largest line of ladies', misses' and children's cloaks from \$15.00 down to \$1.00 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

"Kodakery" means "photography with the better left out." You may find a catalogue and get information at Cone Bros.

Half-inch of ice Wednesday morning. Boys look up your skates and if there is anything needed we have a full supply at the Bee Hive.

There is nothing rarer than a day in June—unless it be some of that cut-glass at W. T. Coleman's. Beautiful patterns, superb designs, large selection.

Strength and vigor come of good food duly digested. "Force", a ready-to-serve wheat and barley food, adds no burden, but sustains, nourishes, invigorates.—9-11-ft.

Men's corduroy suits \$6.50, pants \$2.00. Boys' corduroy pants 50c. Men's cassimere suits \$3.50 to \$13.50. Men's angora fur-lined coats \$4.00. Men's heavy blanket-lined corduroy suits \$8.00 at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

The Crow sale came off, last Saturday, as advertised and everything brought good prices. E. J. Mitchell, the auctioneer from McCook, certainly understands the business of handling sales and Mr. Crow is well pleased with his work.—Stratton Herald, Nov. 12.

The Arington & Swain Comedy Co., which is finishing up a week's stand in this city, has secured a warm place in the hearts of our theater goers. The company is made up of such well known people as Mack Swain, Mayme Arington, Frank Emmons, Al Gorrell, Dottie Jarvis, Cora Swain, C. D. Hesse, Jack Forrester, C. Hatfield, C. D. Fields, the Smith and Ben Harris. The pianist Miss Janie B. Grant, is a fine musician and deserves much credit. They are excellent in their lines, and especially are Mack Swain and wife, and Mayme Arington, superfine in any part they may take. The company from beginning to end, are so well adapted for the various features, that the audiences increase each night. Mr. Arington, the jovial manager, is a great organizer, and having spent a life time on the stage, knows what the people want and as a consequence none but the best of talent is allowed in his company. One feature that is commendable is that there are no tiresome waits, every minute is consumed in choice amusements for the audiences' benefit. You always get your money's worth if you attend Arington & Swain's comedians.—Commercial Advertiser, Red Cloud, November 6.